

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

BENNETT S. PARK,

Defendant.

CASE NO. MJ23-564

DETENTION ORDER

The Court has conducted a detention hearing under 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and concludes there are no conditions which the defendant can meet which would reasonably assure the defendant's appearance as required or the safety of any other person and the community.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

Defendant is charged with production of child pornography. The offense carries a rebuttable presumption that Defendant is both a flight risk and a danger to the community. The government proffered that Defendant has engaged in sexual contact with at least five other minors in addition to the minor involved in the present case. Defendant was also arrested with a minor and charged in state court recently for attempted sexual exploitation of a minor among other crimes. The information the government has proffered indicates Defendant engages in hands on sexual contact with minors and that this conduct is not an isolated incident. The Court

1 accordingly finds Defendant has not rebutted the presumption that he poses a danger to the
2 community.

3 It is therefore **ORDERED**:

4 (1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the
5 Attorney General for confinement in a correctional facility separate, to the extent practicable,
6 from persons awaiting or serving sentences, or being held in custody pending appeal;

7 (2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with
8 counsel;

9 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the
10 Government, the person in charge of the correctional facility in which Defendant is confined
11 shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in
12 connection with a court proceeding; and

13 (4) The Clerk shall provide copies of this order to all counsel, the United States
14 Marshal, and to the United States Probation and Pretrial Services Officer.

15 DATED this 11th day of December, 2023.

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BRIAN A. TSUCHIDA
United States Magistrate Judge